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In re application of

Utpal Datta, et al.

U.S. Serial No.

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Sir:

The undersigned hereby certifies that the following documents:

- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (in duplicate);
- 2. Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate);
- 3. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- 4. Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a);
- 5. New Power of Attorney;
- 6. Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b);
- 7. Check in the amount of \$2,440.00 for the patent application filing fee (\$740.00), Missing Parts surcharge (\$130.00), four (4) month extension fee (\$1,440.00) and fee for Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a)(\$130.00);
- 8. Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application; and
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Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated February 19, 2002, attached are the following documents:

- 1. Petition for Extension of Time (4 months);
- 2. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- 3. Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a);
- 4. New Power of Attorney;
- 5. Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b);

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8. Certificate of Mailing by First Class Mail; and

9. Our postcard receipt.

Submitted herewith is the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by

inventors Datta, Farrell, Landon, and Ghersin, with the exception of Rogers. Submitted herewith

is a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a) based upon inventors Rogers' unavailability or refusal to sign.

Also submitted herewith is a new Power of Attorney and accompanying Statement Under 37

C.F.R. §3.73(b). Accordingly, the current Power of Attorney for this application will be as set forth

in the new Power of Attorney submitted by the assignee, Nortel Networks.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required,

or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

Respectfully submitted,

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Re:

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/044,814 for "CHECK POINTING OF

PROCESSING CONTEXT OF NETWORK ACCOUNTING COMPONENTS"

Nortel Networks Ref No.: 14411HUUS02U

Our File: NORT10-00073

Dear Mr. Rogers:

By letter dated March 15, 2002 (from Mr. Denis Maloney of Fish & Richardson), a Combined Declaration and Assignment for the above-identified U.S. patent application were forwarded to you for signature.

Apparently, the previous law firm handling this application did not receive (or may have lost) the signed Declaration and Assignment for this particular U.S. patent application; however, the documents forwarded to you under the same March 15 letter for another U.S. patent application were signed by you and ultimately filed with the U.S. Patent Office. On June 18, 2002, I left a message at your home phone number (603-889-8332), but have not yet heard from you.

Accordingly, we enclose the Combined Declaration and Assignment documents for your signature. Please sign and date the Combined Declaration. Please sign and date the Assignment in the presence of a Notary Public who should apply his/her seal.

Also enclosed is a copy of the patent application. Please note, the application is proprietary to Nortel Networks and should not be disclosed.

Please return the executed documents and application to us in the enclosed self-addressed Federal Express envelope as soon as possible.



Mr. Jeffrey Rogers July 3, 2002 Page 2

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 972-628-3632.

Regards,

DAVIS MUNCK, P.C.

Robert D. McCutcheon

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March 15, 2002

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Your Ref.:

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Our Ref.:

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Dear Jeff:

The U.S. Patent Office has now informed us that a signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney form must be filed by the due date of April 5, 2002 and April 19, **2002**. This deadline may be extended automatically for up to four one-month periods upon payment of an extension fee. However, these fees are significant and increase monthly, so prompt action is recommended.

Please sign and date the Combined Declaration. Your signature must be exactly as typed. It is not necessary to use a Notary for this document.

Also enclosed is an Assignment. This should be signed in the presence of a Notary Public who, in turn, should apply his/her seal.

A memorandum attached to this letter explains the purpose of an Information Disclosure Statement; it is essential that you read this memorandum and call to our attention anything that you think might be a candidate for inclusion in the Statement. An incomplete Statement can under some circumstances result in unenforceability of the patent you hope to obtain.



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Mr. Jeffrey Rogers March 15, 2002 Page 2

Please note these applications are proprietary to Nortel Networks and should not be disclosed.

Please return the executed documents and applications to us as soon as possible. We have enclosed for your convenience a self-addressed FedEx envelope. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Denis G. Malohey

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From:

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Wednesday, July 03, 2002 1:57 PM

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Subject:

FedEx shipment 792064089999

Robert D. McCutcheon, Esq. of DAVIS MUNCK, P.C sent Mr. Jeffrey Rogers a Priority Overnight FedEx Pak.

This shipment is scheduled to be sent on 03JUL02.

The tracking number(s) are: 792064089999

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Subject:

Our records indicate that the shipment sent from Robert D. McCutcheon, Esq./DAVIS MUNCK, to Mr. Jeffrey Rogers has been delivered.

The package was delivered on 07/5/2002 at 1:43 PM and signed for or released by J.ROGERS.

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Date Mailed: 02/19/2002

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- · The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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